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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Timothy R. Brumleve, et al.

Serial No.: Unassigned

Filing Date: Herewith

For: A FLOURESCENT LAMP CONTAINING A MERCURY ZINC AMALGAM AND
A METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a

Continuation
 Divisional

patent application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b),

of pending prior application Serial No. 08/299,292, filed on September 1, 1994 of
Timothy R. Brumleve, et al. for A FLOURESCENT LAMP CONTAINING A MERCURY
ZINC AMALGAM AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURE.

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed. The undersigned hereby declares that the enclosed application is a true copy of the prior application as originally filed, that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

The enclosed true copy of the prior application as originally filed includes:

- [X] Cover Sheet, Abstract and Thirteen (13) pages of specification,
- [X] Claims 1-36,
- [X] Two (2) sheets of formal drawings showing Figs. 1 and 2,
- [] Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and
- [] Information Disclosure Statement.

The filing fee is calculated below:

NUMBER OF CLAIMS		NUMBER EXTRA			(LARGE ENTITY)	(SMALL ENTITY)	FEE
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						TOTAL FILING FEES	=\$ 740

- A check in the amount of \$740.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- Cancel claims 1 - 36.
- An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence -- This is a [] continuation, [] division, of application Serial No. _____, filed _____.
- The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to L. Lawton Rogers, III, Reg. No. 24,302; D. Joseph English, Reg. No. 42,514; Mark C. Comtois, Reg. No. 46,285; and Patrick D. McPherson, Reg. No. 46,255 at 510 King Street, Suite 400, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.
 - a. The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.

b. Since the power does not appear in the original application papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

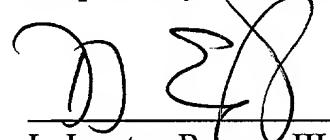
c. Address all future communications to _____.
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The prior application is assigned to Advanced Lighting Technologies, Inc.

If a Petition for an Extension of Time in the application filed herewith or in the prior application is necessary for the paper transmitted herewith to be timely filed, this request is to be considered as a petition to the extend the response period by the amount of time needed for the papers to be timely filed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1679. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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